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VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Mrs. Susan M. Hudson, Clerk
Vermont Public Service Board
112 State Street
Drawer 20
Montpelier, VT 05620-2701

Re: Verizon Vermont § 271 Application, Dkt. No. 6533

Dear Mrs. Hudson:

Enclosed for filing are the original and six copies of the Verizon Vermont Performance Assurance Plan, modified in accordance with the conditions set forth in the Board's letter dated January 16, 2002. For the convenience of the Board and participants, we also enclose redlined versions indicating where changes were made to the August 2001 version.

Very truly yours,

Gregory M. Kennan

cc: All Parties of Record